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1. This communication is responsive to 08/09/2004.
2. The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-20,23,24,26,33-44,46-50,52-56,58-61 and 63-65.
3. The drawings filed on 20 April 2001 are accepted by the Examiner.
4. Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
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6. Interview Summary (PTO-413),
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7. Examiner's Amendment/Comment
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9. Other _____.

Supplemental Notice of Allowance

1. This supplemental action is being sent out to correct a typographical error in the previous notice of allowance that was brought to the examiners attention by the applicant's attorney. The notation after box 2 on the previous notice of allowance indicated that only claims 1-20, 23-24, 26, 33-44 and 46-50 were allowed. However, claims 1-20, 23-24, 26, 33-44, 46-50, as well as 52-56, 58-61, and 63-65 are allowed. The notation after box 2 is corrected in this supplemental notice.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Nikolas J. Uhlir whose telephone number is 571-272-1517. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon-Fri 7:30 am - 5 pm.

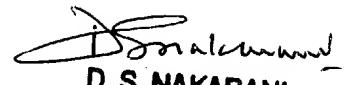
If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Deborah Jones can be reached on 571-272-1535. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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